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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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- Transmitted herewith is a response in the above-identified Response Transmittal: application.
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Sir:

In response to the Restriction/Election Requirement mailed June 2, 2004, Applicant hereby elects the claims of Group I, namely, claims 1-5, 11-21 and 28, drawn to a display engine. Having made this election, Applicant expressly reserves the right to file one of more divisional applications on the subject matter of the non-elected claims. Favorable action is hereby earnestly solicited.

If this response is not considered timely filed and if a request for an extension of time is otherwise absent, Applicant hereby requests any necessary extension of time. If there is a fee occasioned by this response, including an extension fee, please charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 50-0463.

Respectfully submitted,
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